Infiltration by Pakistan nationals in Kutch (Gujarat)

3440. PROF. RAMKRISHNA MORE:

SHRIMATI USHA THA-KKAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government are aware of the continuous large scale infiltration, smuggling of drugs and fire arms besides spying activities by Pakistan nationals in Kutch (Gujarat) and of the rise in the population of the bordering villages;
- (b) if so, whether Government have made any assessment of the situation;
- (c) the percentage of rise in the population of the Kutch villages bordering Pakistan and the percentage of the population identified as Pakistani nationals;
- (d) percentage of the Pakistani nationals who have obtained the Indian citizenship and the voting rights;
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to identify the Indian links of Pakistani nationals in their infiltration, smuggling and spying activities in Kutch; and
- (f) the circumstances under which they were given Indian citizenship?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM.): (a) The Govt. of Gujarat have stated that the allegation about large scale infiltration, smuggling, spying and rise in the population of bordering villages in Kutch because of infiltration, is not correct.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

- (d) No Pakistani nationals were given Indian citizenship and voting rights;
- (e) In order to detect Indian links/ elements helping Pakistani nationals in infiltration, smuggling and spying activities, a separate Police Squad in Kutch district has been formed by the Govt. of Gujarat.
 - (f) Does not arise.

Reservation of C & D grades for retired perence personnel

3441. DR. CHINTA MOHAN: Will the Minister of DEFFNCE be pleased to State:

- (a) whether Government have reserved large number of posts in 'C' and 'D' grades for retired defence personnel, and if so, details thereof; and
- (b) the number of posts reserved, year-wise during the last three years and how many posts were actually filled and reasons for shortfalls; if any?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) Government of India have made reservation for ex-servicemen in all Government Departments, Public Sector Undertakings, Banks as given below:

Govt. Depart- Public sector ments Undertaking/ banks

Gp C Posts 10% 14½% Gp D Posts 20% 24 1/2%

10% of posts of Asstt. Commandants in Para Military Forces.

(b) The details of vacancies reserved for ex-servicemen and the number of vacancies filled by them from 1981 to 1985 in the Central Govt. Departments, Public Sector Undertakings Banks, etc. are given in Statement-libelow.

Reasons for shortfalls in the utilisation of reserved vacancies for-ex-servicementare given in statement-II below.